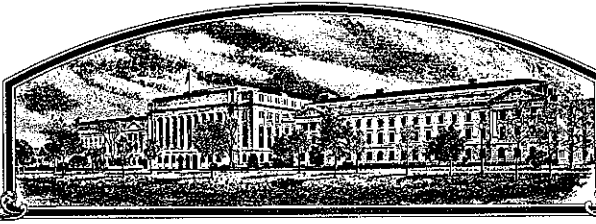


No.

8200138



THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Goldsmith Seeds, Inc.

Whereas, THERE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE
Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED NOVEL VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF *eighteen* YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR DIFFERENT VARIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT OF 1942, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

MUSKMELON

'Musketeer'



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand and caused the seal of the Plant
Variety Protection Office to be affixed
at the City of Washington
this 21st day of July in
the year of our Lord one thousand nine
hundred and eighty-three.

Attest:

Kenneth H. Evans
Commissioner
Plant Variety Protection Office
Grain Division
Agricultural Marketing Service

John R. Block
Secretary of Agriculture

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
LIVESTOCK, MEAT, GRAIN & SEED DIVISION

APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

(Instructions on reverse)

FORM APPROVED: OMB NO. 0581-0005

No certificate for plant variety protection may be issued unless a completed application form has been received (5 U.S.C. 553).

1. NAME OF APPLICANT(S) GOLDSMITH SEEDS, INC.		2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION		3. VARIETY NAME Musketeer	
4. ADDRESS (Street and No. or R.F.D. No., City, State, and Zip Code) 2280 Hecker Pass Hwy. Gilroy, California 95020		5. PHONE (Include area code) 408/847-2769		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY PVPO NUMBER 8200138	
6. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME Cucumis Melo L.		7. FAMILY NAME (Botanical) Cucurbitaceae		FILING DATE 7/6/82 TIME 2:00 <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> P.M.	
8. KIND NAME Muskmelon		9. DATE OF DETERMINATION VAR - BECAME DISTINCT 8/15/78 SEED INCREASED 7/1/80 PFS 2/22/83		FEES RECEIVED AMOUNT FOR FILING \$ 500.00 DATE 7/6/82 AMOUNT FOR CERTIFICATE \$ 250.00 DATE 7/1/83	
10. IF THE APPLICANT NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON," GIVE FORM OF ORGANIZATION (Corporation, partnership, association, etc.) Corporation				11. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION California	
12. DATE OF INCORPORATION				13. NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE(S), IF ANY, TO SERVE IN THIS APPLICATION AND RECEIVE ALL PAPERS	

14. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED

- a. ☒ Exhibit A, Origin and Breeding History of the Variety (See Section 52 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.)
- b. ☒ Exhibit B, Novelty Statement
- c. ☒ Exhibit C, Objective Description of the Variety (Request form from Plant Variety Protection Office.)
- d. ☒ Exhibit D, Additional Description of the Variety

15. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD BY VARIETY NAME ONLY AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? (See Section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act.) ☐ Yes (If "Yes," answer items 16 and 17 below) ☒ No

16. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF GENERATIONS? ☐ Yes ☒ No

17. IF "YES" TO ITEM 16, WHICH CLASSES OF PRODUCTION BEYOND BREEDER SEED? ☐ Foundation ☐ Registered ☐ Certified

18. DID THE APPLICANT(S) FILE FOR PROTECTION OF THE VARIETY IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES? ☐ Yes (If "Yes," give names of countries and dates) ☒ No

19. HAVE RIGHTS BEEN GRANTED IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES? ☐ Yes (If "Yes," give names of countries and dates) ☒ No

20. The applicant(s) declare(s) that a viable sample of basic seeds of this variety will be furnished with the application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable.

The undersigned applicant(s) is (are) the owner(s) of this sexually reproduced novel plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 41, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of Section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.

Applicant(s) is (are) informed that false representation herein can jeopardize protection and result in penalties.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT *Goldschmidt Seeds, Inc. by Paul R. Smith* DATE *Mar 31, 1982*

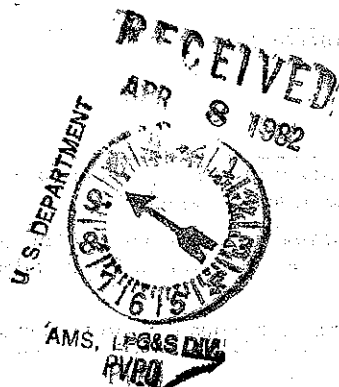
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT DATE

INSTRUCTIONS

General: Send an original copy of the application and exhibits, at least 2,500 viable seeds, and \$500 fee (\$250 filing fee and \$250 examination fee) to U.S. Department of Agriculture, Agricultural Marketing Service, Livestock, Meat, Grain and Seed Division, Plant Variety Protection Office, National Agricultural Library Building, Beltsville, Maryland 20705. (See section 180.175 of the Regulations and Rules of Practice.) Retain one copy for your files. All items on the face of the form are self-explanatory unless noted below.

Item

- 9 Give the date the applicant determined that he had a new variety based on (1) the definition in section 41(a) of the Act and (2) the date a decision was made to increase the seed.
- 14a Give: (1) the genealogy, including public and commercial varieties, lines, or clones used, and the breeding method; (2) the details of subsequent stages of selection and multiplication; (3) the type and frequency of variants during reproduction and multiplication and state how these variants may be identified and (4) evidence of uniformity and stability.
- 14b Give a summary statement of the variety's novelty. Clearly state how this novel variety may be distinguished from all other varieties in the same crop. If the new variety most closely resembles one or a group of related varieties: (1) identify these varieties and state all differences objectively; (2) attach statistical data for characters expressed numerically and demonstrate that these differences are significant; and (3) submit, if helpful, seed and plant specimens or photographs of seed and plant comparisons clearly indicating novelty.
- 14c Fill in the Exhibit C, Objective Description form, for all characteristics for which you have adequate data.
- 14d Describe any additional characteristics that are not described, or whose description cannot be accurately conveyed in Exhibit C. Use comparative varieties as is necessary to reveal more accurately the description of characteristics that are difficult to describe, such as plant habit, plant color, disease resistance, etc.
- 15 If "Yes" is specified (*seed of this variety be sold by variety name only as a class of certified seed*) the applicant may NOT reverse his affirmative decision after the variety has either been sold and so labeled, his decision published, or the certificate has been issued. However, if the applicant specified "No," he may change his choice. (See section 180.16 of the Regulations and Rules of Practice.)
- 16 See section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act and section 180.7 of the Regulations and Rules of Practice.



Cantaloupe

Musketeer

13A Exhibit A:

Pedigree: Minn 266/Harrow H5517 -1-2-1-1

Muskeeter as the result of Minn 266 bush crossed to Harrow H5517 to get a very early bush with good flavor, size and fair set.

Bush Minn 266 was crossed to H5517. The F_1 , was selfed and bush melons of high quality were selected in the F_2 . These selections went through 4 generations of selfing and selecting.

Production fields are very uniform for plant type.

This uniformity, has been observed over 5 generations of production. There is no variation in plant habit. The netting on 1 plant in 50 has slightly more net.

There are no other variants.

13 B Exhibit B Novelty Statement

Musketeer is most similar to "Minnesota 266" in all characteristics. "Musketeer" differs from "Minnesota 266" as the fruit of "Musketeer" has bright orange flesh instead of very pale orange and "Musketeer" has a yellow green colored rind instead of green. The rind of "Musketeer" is also thicker than "Minnesota 266" and the net of the fruit is also more pronounced than "Minnesota 266".

LIMIT COLOR CASCADE" R/S 2/24/83

The color chart readings from the "Munsell ~~Book of Color~~" indicate "Musketeer" at full slip to have a flesh color of 31-6 and "Minnesota 266" to have a flesh color of 31-4. The rind color of Musketeer is 24-2 and Minnesota 266 is 21-2.

FORM GR-470-38
(6-76)U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE
GRAIN DIVISION
BELTSVILLE, MARYLAND 20705
OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY
Muskmelon. (Cucumis melo L.)

PAGE 1 OF 3

NAME OF APPLICANT(S)	VARIETY NAME OR TEMPORARY DESIGNATION
GOLDSMITH SEEDS, INC.	Musketeer
ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP Code)	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY
2280 Hecker Pass Hwy.	PVPO NUMBER
Gilroy, California 95020	8200138

Place the appropriate number that describes the varietal character of this variety in the boxes below.
Place a zero in first box (e.g. or) when number is either 99 or less.

1. TYPE:

1 = PERSIAN 2 = HONEY DEW 3 = CASABA 4 = CRENSHAW 5 = COMMON OR SUMMER
6 = OTHER _____

2. AREA OF BEST ADAPTATION IN U.S.A.

1 = SOUTHEAST 2 = NORTHEAST/NORTHCENTRAL 3 = SOUTHWEST 4 = MOST AREAS

3. MATURITY (FROM SEEDING TO HARVEST):

DAYS
 NO. DAYS EARLIER THAN _____
 _____ NO. DAYS LATER THAN _____
 1 = FORDHOOK GEM (EARLY)
 2 = DELICIOUS 51 (MIDSEASON)
 3 = HONEY DEW (LATE)
 4 = OTHER (Specify) Short N Sweet

4. PLANT:

1 = ANDROMONOECIOUS 2 = MONOECIOUS 3 = GYNOECIOUS 4 = OTHER _____
 1 = VINE 2 = SEMI-BUSH 3 = BUSH

5. LEAF (MATURE BLADE OF THIRD LEAF)

SHAPE: 1 = ORBICULAR 2 = OVATE 3 = RENIFORM
 1 = NOT LOBED 2 = SHALLOWLY LOBED 3 = DEEPLY LOBED
 1 = LIGHT GREEN (HONEY DEW) 2 = MEDIUM GREEN 3 = DK. GREEN (RIO GOLD)
 mm LENGTH mm WIDTH
 SURFACE: 1 = PUBESCENT 2 = GLABROUS 3 = SCABROUS

6. FRUIT (AT EDIBLE MATURITY):

cm LENGTH cm DIAMETER gm WEIGHT
 SHAPE: 1 = OBLATE 2 = OVAL 3 = ROUND 4 = ELONGATE-CYLINDRICAL 5 = SPINDLE 6 = ACORN
 SURFACE: 1 = SMOOTH 2 = NETTED 3 = CORRUGATED 4 = WARTED
 BLOSSOM SCAR: 1 = OBSCURE 2 = CONSPICUOUS
 RIBS: 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT
 NO. RIBS PER FRUIT mm RIB WIDTH AT MEDIAL RIBS:
 1 = SMOOTH 2 = NETTED

SUTURES:

1 = SHALLOW (GOLDEN DELIGHT) 2 = MEDIUM 3 = DEEP (HACKENSACK)
 1 = SMOOTH 2 = NETTED
 SHIPPING QUALITY: 1 = POOR (HOME GARDEN) 2 = FAIR (SHORT DISTANCE SHIPPING)
 3 = EXCELLENT (LONG DISTANCE SHIPPING)

FRUIT ABSCISE: 1 = WHEN RIPE 2 = WHEN OVERRIPE 3 = DO NOT ABSCISS

7. RIND NET:

2	1 = ABSENT	2 = SPARSE	3 = ABUNDANT
2	DISTRIBUTION: 1 = SPOTTY 2 = COVERS ENTIRE FRUIT		
3	COARSENESS: 1 = FINE 2 = MEDIUM COARSE 3 = VERY COARSE		
2	INTERLACING: 1 = NONE 2 = SOME 3 = COMPLETE		
3	INTERSTICES: 1 = SHALLOW 2 = MEDIUM DEEP 3 = DEEP		

8. RIND TEXTURE:

2	1 = SOFT	2 = FIRM	3 = HARD	0 3	mm THICKNESS AT MEDIAL
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9. RIND COLOR (AT EDIBLE MATURITY):

COLORS: (SELECT TWO WHEN NECESSARY, i.e., CREAMY YELLOW 0 2 0 4)

01 = WHITE 02 = CREAM 03 = BUFF 04 = YELLOW 05 = GOLD 06 = GREEN 07 = ORANGE 08 = BRONZE
 09 = BROWN 10 = GRAY 11 = BLACK 12 = OTHER (Specify) yellow-orange

0 6	PRIMARY COLOR					MOTTLING COLOR
	NET COLOR					FURROW (SUTURE) COLOR

RIND COLOR (AT FULL MATURITY)

0 2 0 6	PRIMARY COLOR					MOTTLING COLOR
	NET COLOR					FURROW (SUTURE) COLOR

4 R/S SEE EXHIBIT D

10. FLESH (AT EDIBLE MATURITY):

COLORS: (SELECT TWO WHEN NECESSARY, i.e., CREAMY YELLOW 2 3)

1 = WHITE 2 = CREAM 3 = YELLOW 4 = GREEN 5 = ORANGE 6 = SALMON 7 = PINK
 8 = OTHER (Specify) _____

2 5	COLOR NEAR CAVITY	2 5	COLOR IN CENTER	2 5	COLOR NEAR RIND
1 3	REFRACTOMETER % SOLUABLE SOLIDS (CENTER OF FLESH)				
1 1	% SOLUABLE SOLIDS FOR CHECK VARIETY (Specify variety <u>Short N Sweet</u>)				
2	AROMA: 1 = ABSENT 2 = FAINT 3 = STRONG				
1	FLAVOR: 1 = MILD 2 = SOMEWHAT SPICY 3 = VERY SPICY				

11. SEED CAVITY:

5 5	mm LENGTH	4 7	mm WIDTH
2	SHAPE IN X-SECTION: 1 = CIRCULAR 2 = TRIANGULAR		

12. SEEDS:

1 5 0	NO. PER FRUIT	1 6	gm PER 1,000
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13. DISEASE RESISTANCE * (0 = UNTESTED, 1 = SUSCEPTIBLE, 2 = RESISTANT)

0 BACTERIAL WILT	0 ROOT ROT	0 CROWN BLIGHT	0 MELON RUST
1 POWDERY MILDEW	0 VERTICILLUM WILT	0 SULPHUR BURN	0 SCAB
0 WATERMELON MOSAIC	0 DOWNY MILDEW	0 FUSARIUM WILT	0 ROOT KNOT (NEMATODE)
0 ANTHRACNOSE	0 CUCUMBER MOSAIC	0 SQUASH MOSAIC	OTHER _____
		OTHER _____	OTHER _____

* STATE GENUS, SPECIES, AND RACES WHEN KNOWN, UNDER ITEM 16.

14. INSECT RESISTANCE: (0 = UNTESTED, 1 = SUSCEPTIBLE, 2 = RESISTANT)

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<input type="text" value="0"/>	MITE	<input type="text" value="0"/>	WESTERN SPOTTED CUCUMBER BEETLE	<input type="text" value="0"/>	MELON LEAFHOPPER	<input type="text" value="0"/>	OTHER (Specify)
<input type="text" value="0"/>	MELON WORM	<input type="text" value="0"/>	WESTERN STRIPED CUCUMBER BEETLE	<input type="text" value="0"/>	MELON LEAFMINER		

15. NAME A VARIETY THAT MOST CLOSELY RESEMBLES THAT SUBMITTED FOR THE FOLLOWING CHARACTERISTICS:

CHARACTER	VARIETY	CHARACTER	VARIETY
DAYS MATURITY	Perlita	FRUIT SHAPE	Planter Jumbo
PLANT VIGOR	Bush Hybrid	RIND COLOR	Harper
PLANT HABIT	Short N Sweet	FLESH AROMA	
FRUIT NETTING	Gold Star	FLESH FLAVOR	Harper
FRUIT SIZE	Planter Jumbo	FLESH COLOR	Early Dawn

16. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND COMMENTS:

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13D Exhibit D. Additional Description of "Muskeeter"

Muskeeter is a bush muskmelon, *Cucumis melo*. L.

Muskeeter is similar to Perlita in days to maturity in Gilroy, California.

The bush habit is about 2½ to 3 feet across. The habit is similar to Bush Hybrid from Parks.

The fruits are round with sparse coarse net. The rind of the fruit is creamy yellow at maturity. The flesh color is orange with firm texture. Soluble solid at center of fruit average 13%.

Muskeeter has no disease resistance to powdery mildew or fusarium wilt.

ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PLANT
VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, Goldsmith Seeds, Inc., a California corporation 2280 Hecker Pass Highway, Gilroy, California 95020, does hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey to Northrup King Co., a Delaware corporation, 1500 Jackson Street N.E., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55413, the entire right, title and interest in and to the following United States Plant Variety Protection Certificate together with all the rights described and claimed therein:

<u>Certificate Number</u>	<u>Variety</u>	<u>Date Issued</u>
8200138	Musketeer	July 21, 1983

the same to be held and enjoyed by said Northrup King Co. for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives, for the full term or terms for which said Certificate is or may be granted or reissued, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held and enjoyed by said Goldsmith Seeds, Inc. if this assignment and sale had not been made; together with all claims for damages by reason of past infringement of said Certificate, including the right to sue for and collect the same for its own use and benefit, and for the use and benefit of its successors, assigns or other legal representatives.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Goldsmith Seeds, Inc. has caused this assignment to be executed by its duly authorized officer, effective the 16 day of JANUARY, 1985.

GOLDSMITH SEEDS, INC.

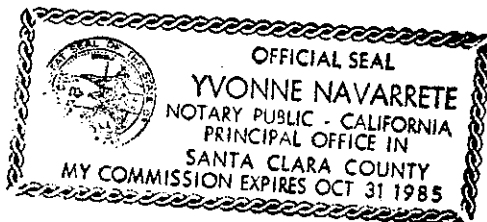
By: William J. Park
Its: Vice President

(CORPORATE SEAL)

STATE OF California)
STATE OF California) ss.

On this 26th day of February, 1985, before me, a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid, personally appeared William J. Park, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is the Vice President of Goldsmith Seeds, Inc.; that the seal affixed to the foregoing assignment is the corporate seal of Goldsmith Seeds, Inc. and that the assignment was executed in behalf of Goldsmith Seeds, Inc. by authority of its board of directors; and did acknowledge the assignment to be the free act and deed of Goldsmith Seeds, Inc.

Witness my hand and seal the day and year first set forth above.



Yvonne Navarrete
Notary Public

ASSIGNMENT OF UNITED STATES PLANT
VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE

In consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the individuals whose signatures appear on the second page of this document do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey to Northrup King Co., a Delaware corporation, 1500 Jackson Street N.E., Minneapolis, Minnesota 55413, the entire right, title and interest in and to the following United States Plant Variety Protection Certificate together with all the rights described and claimed therein:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the individuals below have duly executed this assignment, effective the 16 day of JANUARY, 1985.

Glenn A. Goldsmith
Glenn A. Goldsmith

James E. Goldsmith
James E. Goldsmith

Joel G. Goldsmith
Joel G. Goldsmith

Richard C. Goldsmith
Richard C. Goldsmith

Glenn A. Goldsmith attorney-in-fact
William A. Goldsmith

Charles A. James
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Geo. W. Parks Seed Co., Inc.

By: William J. Park

Its: Chairman and CEO

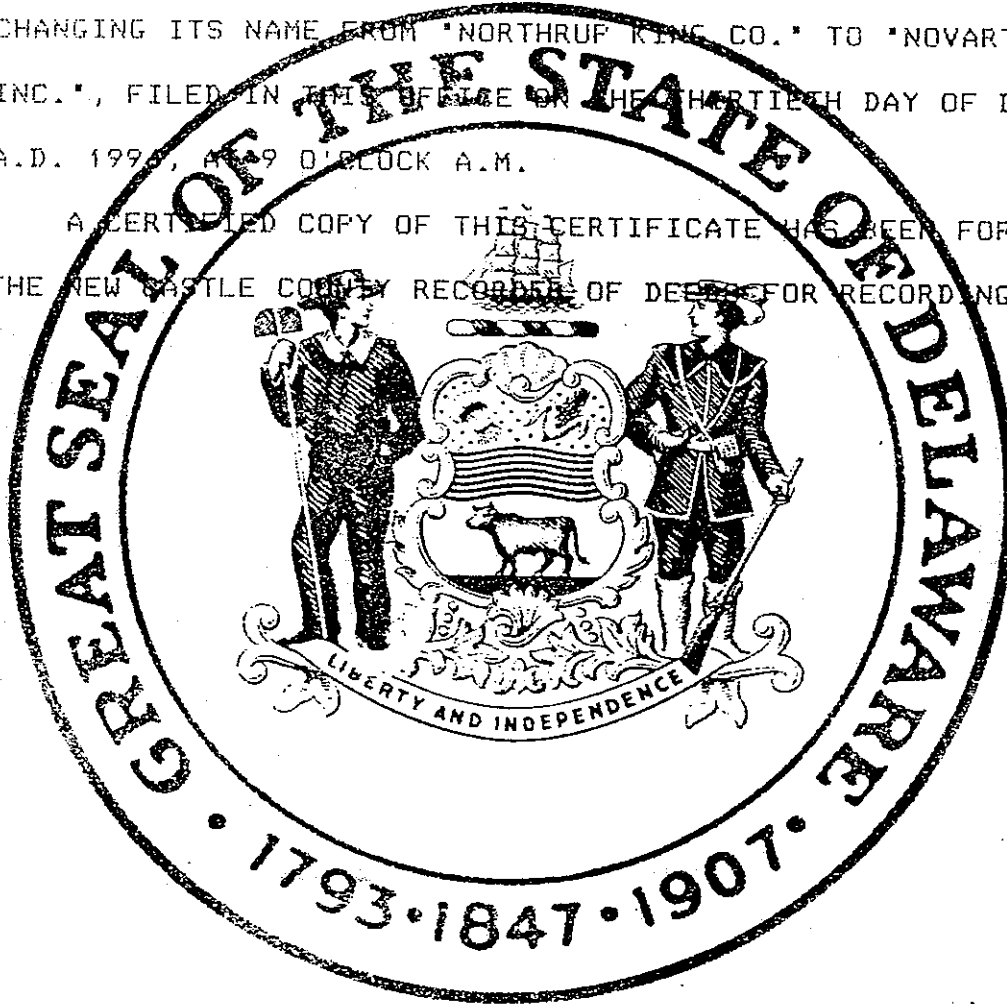
David A. Gilbart
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George E. Clausen
George E. Clausen

Office of the Secretary of State

I, EDWARD J. FREEL, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "NORTHROP KING CO.", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "NORTHROP KING CO." TO "NOVARTIS SEEDS, INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE THIRTIETH DAY OF DECEMBER, A.D. 1996, AT 9 O'CLOCK A.M.

A CERTIFIED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS FOR RECORDING.



Edward J. Freel

Edward J. Freel, Secretary of State

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AUTHENTICATION:

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DATE:

12-31-96

CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION
OF
NORTHROP KING CO.

It is certified that:

1. The name of the corporation (hereinafter called the "Corporation") is Northrup King Co.

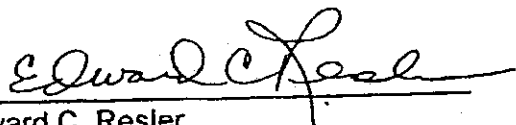
2. The Certificate of Incorporation of the Corporation is hereby amended by striking out Section 1 thereof and by substituting in lieu of said Section the following new Section.

1. The name of the Corporation is Novartis Seeds, Inc.

3. The amendment of the certificate of incorporation herein certified has been duly adopted and written consent has been given in accordance with the provisions of Sections 228 and 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

4. The effective date of the amendment herein certified shall be January 1, 1997.

Signed on December 27, 1996.


Edward C. Resler
Vice President & Secretary